

BEN HIGGINS THE WINNER ON RECOUNT

Of the Votes for County Commissioner in Union District
Now in Progress.

MAJORITY GOES UP, 13 TO 32.

Disputed Ballots Are to Be Taken
Up, and if Bearly Gets All
Higgins Will Win.

Yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, the Ohio county board of commissioners began the recount of the votes in Union district on county commissioner, this having been demanded by Edward Bearly, the defeated Democratic opponent of Ben F. Higgins, who was elected on the face of the returns by a majority of 13.

All the members of the board were present; also the contestant, Mr. Bearly, and his attorney, ex-Congressman John O. Pendleton. Mr. Higgins' interests were cared for by Attorney S. G. Smith. The recount occupied both the morning and afternoon sessions of the board, and there was a large attendance on the part of the public.

No. 1 precinct showed a gain of one for Higgins; No. 2, a gain of two for Higgins; No. 3, a gain of six for Higgins; No. 4, a gain of two for Higgins and a loss of three for Bearly; No. 5, a loss of one for Bearly; No. 6, a gain of two for Higgins, a loss of one for Bearly; No. 7, a gain of one for Higgins; in all a net gain of 19 for Higgins, and increasing his majority over Bearly from 13 to 32. The original count and the recount, with each candidate's gains and losses are given below:

Precincts.	Orig. Count.	Recount.	Changes.
No. 1.....	110	64	111
No. 2.....	200	197	205
No. 3.....	154	85	152
No. 4.....	145	163	148
No. 5.....	60	135	69
No. 6.....	76	164	78
No. 7.....	102	123	103
Total.....	556	843	808
Majority.....	15	32	17

In addition, the board laid aside in each precinct some ballots which were disputed by either Mr. Smith or Mr. Pendleton, and they will be taken up and disposed of by the board this morning at 10 o'clock. However, the result is already arrived at, as, even if all of the twenty-six disputed ballots are counted for Bearly—which is altogether unlikely—Higgins would still have a majority of six.

AMUSEMENTS.

"Old Lavender," the play that Edward Harrigan will present at the Opera House on Thursday, November 22, is one of the best efforts of America's greatest author-actor. Of all the many successful plays Mr. Harrigan has written this is his most popular success. "Old Lavender" abounds in jolly music and quaint phrases—in the catching fun of Mr. Harrigan's local plays. It has pathos as well, and the picture which the author-actor gives us of the warm-hearted, whole-souled boon companion, brought by the wrong doing of others to the clutch of severe poverty and distress, touches the source of tears, though the cheery manner in which he bears misfortune, and the grotesque way he has of putting his moralizing, go to the springs of laughter. No other man on the stage could play such a part as Edward Harrigan plays this, with a finish, a delicacy, a sympathy, that are admirable.

Delmore and Wilson.
Manager Charles A. Feinler, of the Grand Opera House, announces to the public that he will soon present the happy comedians, Delmore and Wilson, in their musical farce comedy entitled "My Aunt's Nephew." These two clever stars are this season under the direction of Ira J. La Motte, a capital producer of plays and a man thoroughly in touch with the tastes of the public and the requisite needs of a rousing play. The supporting company will be a good one, comprising as it does, several beautiful and clever young dancers with lots of vim and skill. Some of these dances are justly celebrated as captivating novelties, while all are extremely catchy and a little ahead of the times. They come the last half of this week.

In Clerk Robertson's Office.
Yesterday, in Clerk Robertson's office, the following was recorded:
Deed, made November 19, 1900; by H. J. Ahrens and wife to Helen May Kies, consideration \$50; transfers lot 9 in Division B, of Henderson's sub-division, North Wheeling.
Marriage licenses were issued to the following:
Fred C. Stempel, 23, and Susanna Hagmaler, 26, of Wheeling.
William Hockenberger, 27, of Wheeling, and Hermine Schmidt, 21, of Newwood.
Herbert McConnell was appointed administrator of the Mary Ellen McConnell estate; bond \$1,000; Edward McConnell, surety.

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Mr. J. N. Howard of Marble, Ark., says: "It has been nearly two months since I wrote you giving a description of my case. I began taking Per-na and when I got your letter I followed the directions. My doctor had no hope of my getting well. My bowels

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Mrs. Mary A. Shear, Jennings, La., says: "I am recommending your medicines to every one I hear complain. My disease was Bright's disease of the kidneys. I am quite well now."

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..Midnight Briefs..

The census bureau officials announced that the population of the state of Illinois was 4,215,550, as against 3,235,351 in 1890.

The population of the state of Rhode Island as announced officially by the census bureau is 428,550 as against 345,506 in 1890.

The second day of the horse show opened with a large attendance. There was no time for exercise in the ring yesterday, as the judging began early.

Minnie Adams, a clerk in the New York postoffice, was overcome by the heat while at work Tuesday. She was attended by a physician and was able to return to her home.

Bishop M. M. Moore, the well known colored preacher of Jacksonville, Fla., who has been ill for some time with a complication of diseases, has been given up by his physician.

Harris & Company, general brokers and commission men, at 52 Broadway, New York, made an assignment yesterday, without preference, to an attorney, who said the liabilities are estimated at \$30,000 and the assets at from \$15,000 to \$30,000.

Will H. Brady, a prominent young business man of Detroit, blew out one side of his head completely with a shot gun early Tuesday morning in his home at 200 Euclid avenue. Neighbors were aroused by Mrs. Brady's screams, and on entering the house found Mr. Brady dead in his bed room.

The heat of the past three days caused much suffering among the mill men in Pittsburgh and one case of prostration is reported. Alexander Jacobson was overcome while at work yesterday in the National rolling mill, McKeesport. His condition is serious and he is not expected to live.

The United States grand jury ignored the bills of indictment against Isaac A. Swigard, former superintendent of the Philadelphia & Reading Railway Company, who was charged by the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen with having discharged employees of the Reading company because they were members of the Brotherhood.

The strike of the 700 employees of the Forest mine at Archbald, Pa., which has continued since last March, has been satisfactorily settled by a committee of miners in conference with representatives of the Ontario & Western Company, which bought the mine last Friday. The strikers got nearly all the concessions demanded.

Cornelius L. Alvord, Jr., former note taker in the First National Bank, New York, who is accused of embezzling \$500,000 from that institution, was held yesterday to await the action of the grand jury. It is understood that Alvord will be indicted immediately and that his case will be put on the calendar for the term beginning the second Wednesday in December.

The appellate division of the supreme court of New York yesterday decided to allow the alternate writs of prohibition asked by Charles W. Morse, president of the American Ice Company, to restrain the attorney general from compelling the company's directors and officers to appear before the referee appointed to take testimony as to the allegation that the company constituted a trust in violation of the state laws.

The league of national associations of industrial and commercial organizations assembled at St. Louis Tuesday for the purpose of discussing and formulating plans to secure the early passage by Congress of the Cullom bill, which seeks to amend the interstate commerce law and extend the powers of that body. This bill is now on the calendar of the senate and the association proposes endeavoring to use its influence for the purpose of having the bill advanced on the calendar.

Plans are being made for the reorganization of the German national bank of Newport, Ky., now in the hands of National Bank Examiner Tucker, as temporary receiver, owing to a shortage of nearly \$200,000 charged to Assistant Cashier Frank M. Brown. An assessment of \$145 per share is the plan under consideration. Frederick J. Stone, who claims to be an intimate acquaintance of Brown, states that he met the latter yesterday in Fort Wayne, Ind., and that he was enroute to Canada.

Madame Sarah Bernhardt and M. Coquelin, and their large company of actors arrived at New York Tuesday on L'Atlantique. The vessel had a rough trip, meeting heavy seas all the way across. Madame Bernhardt, who looked to be in the best of health, said she was glad to revisit this country, as she expects to write a great deal of America in her memoirs, which she is now preparing. The actress denied that Rosalind was insane, and asserted that the

stories to that effect had been circulated by the author's enemies.

The judgment of the admiralty court of London was rendered yesterday in the action brought by the owners of the British bark Embenton to recover damages for the sinking of that vessel by the Cunard line steamer Campania, in July last, during a heavy fog, about six hours after leaving Queens-town, the collision resulting in the drowning of eleven of the crew of the Embenton, which was loaded with dynamite. The court found that the Campania's speed was excessive and that the Campania was solely blameable for the sinking of the Embenton, and judgment was pronounced accordingly.

Lieutenant Francis Joy Haeseler, United States navy, died at the naval hospital in New York Tuesday, of typhoid fever. Lieut. Haeseler was eminent as an electrician, and was an expert in the application of compressed air in mechanics. In the battle of Santiago, which resulted in the destruction of Cervera's fleet, Lieut. Haeseler was in charge of the starboard turret of the battleship Texas, and earned high praise for the manner in which his guns were served. Lieut. Haeseler made the 12-inch guns of the Texas rapid-firers by improving the method of loading, so that the charge was carried to the gun in any direction, while the gun had formerly to be returned to one position before recharging.

"EDITH BOOTH'S" PARENTS

Give Out Her Real Name—Startling Disclosures Expected.

NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Boycott, the parents of the woman who died in St. Vincent's hospital under the name of Edith Booth, admitted to-day that the woman was their daughter, Mrs. Edith A. Van Bell.

Mrs. Boycott when asked whether the husband of the dead woman resided in this city, said she did not know. "This morning was the first we knew of this horrible affair. She continued, 'as for this man Stackelberg, why we never heard of him until we saw his name in the papers. We never knew our daughter was acquainted with any such person. We are firmly convinced that she did not get proper treatment in the hospitals. To think that a woman in her condition should be sent to three different hospitals. However, the matter is being thoroughly investigated, and I cannot doubt but that some startling disclosures will be brought out.'"

SWANZEY IN SOUTH AMERICA.

Skipped the Country After Beating a Number of Banks.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 19.—Edward L. Swanzy, who fled from Kansas City four months ago after obtaining a large sum of money from banks throughout the country by means of duplicate cattle mortgages, is being followed closely by detectives in South America. The local attorney for the Cattlemen's Protective Association, which is prosecuting the search, stated today that Swanzy will be arrested and brought back here if he enters a country where the extradition laws do not interfere with his being taken. It appears that Swanzy went direct to Montevideo from Kansas City.

Glorious News

Comes from Dr. D. B. Carrillo, of Washita, L. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Carrillo of catarrh, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but her cure is complete and her health is excellent." This shows what thousands have proved—that Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rashes, ulcers, boils and runny sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50 cents. Sold by Logan Drug Co., druggist. Guaranteed.

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CABINET MEETING.

Chinese Situation the Main Topic Under Consideration.

MINISTERS NOT YET AGREED.

Discouraged at Procrastination. Minister Conger Not Heard From for a Week—Our Last Proposition in Line With Russia's Policy. Several Difficulties in the Way of a Settlement.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—The Chinese situation was the main topic under consideration at to-day's cabinet meeting. The administration is not disposed to join with the other governments in making demands upon the Chinese imperial authorities which the Chinese government cannot comply with.

So far as our government is advised, the foreign ministers at Peking have not yet agreed upon all points under discussion. Mr. Conger has reported from time to time the various propositions under consideration, but he has not yet indicated that the end is at hand or that anything in the nature of an agreement has been reached upon which the various powers might act, and which is to serve as a basis of negotiations with the Chinese authorities. Mr. Conger has not, however, been heard from for a week and this fact has caused some discouragement to the officials, who expected that this phase of the difficult Chinese question would soon be closed.

Indemnities and Guarantees.

Having passed over the stage of proscriptive of the Chinese leaders who were responsible for the Boxer outrages, the foreign ministers are believed now to be engaged with the difficult subjects of indemnities and guarantees. The last United States proposition was in line with the Russian project to allow The Hague commissioners to adjust the indemnities. It is believed that this proposition has never commended itself to the British or the German governments and failing such a reference of the question of indemnity, it is believed that it will be a most difficult task for the ministers at Peking to reach an agreement on this subject, particularly in view of the existence of a very strong suspicion of the motives of some of these ministers. The apparent difference in original purpose between the United States government and some of the other powers have operated to prevent a settlement of the Chinese question upon the broad lines laid down in the state department's proposition.

Promises Not Sincere.

It is true that all of the powers subscribed a more or less reluctant assent to such proposals as look to the prevention of the partition of China and the guarantee of an "open door" to all comers, yet it begins to appear from the course of the negotiations that either these promises were not sincere in all cases, or that some of the ministers honestly have changed their minds as to what shall be done for the present in China.

It may be stated, however, regardless of the embarrassments and delays that follow from the existence of this state of affairs that the United States government does not propose to be driven out of the concert relative to China at this juncture in the negotiations; for, notwithstanding the wish cherished by the administration to free the government from these entanglements at the earliest possible moment and to withdraw entirely our military forces from China, it has definitely been determined that this shall not be done until all proper interests of the United States in China have been conserved.

To Give a Bazaar.

On the 8th of December the ladies of the Third Presbyterian church will give a bazaar and social and big preparations are being made for the affair. The committee in charge is making every effort to make the affair a success. It will be held in the basement of the church and the ladies of the congregation will be assisted by the members of the King's Daughters.

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